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House Resolution 722

By: Representative Marin of the 96th

## **A RESOLUTION**

- 1 Recognizing Norcross Elementary School's Empty Bowls dinner; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Norcross Elementary School is hosting an Empty Bowls dinner on March 27,
- 3 2007, at 6:00 P.M. at the school's cafeteria; and
- 4 WHEREAS, this dinner is raising money for the Norcross Cooperative Ministry, a food bank
- 5 that serves families in the area; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Empty Bowls began as a service learning project in 1990 at a high school in
- 7 Michigan to raise awareness about the plight of hunger in our country; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Empty Bowls dinners have raised millions of dollars for food banks and soup
- 9 kitchens across the United States; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Norcross Elementary students have made clay bowls to be given away to
- 11 everyone attends the dinner; and
- 12 WHEREAS, the Beta Club is also participating and the chorus will be performing at this
- 13 event; and
- 14 WHEREAS, Empty Bowls is a most worthwhile cause and the students of Norcross
- 15 Elementary School and all participants are providing a wonderful opportunity for their
- 16 community to come together in a generosity of spirit and actions.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 18 the members of this body recognize the admirable efforts and upcoming event of this
- 19 extraordinary group of students.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

- 2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Norcross Elementary School
- 3 Principal Dr. Lavern Lynch Watkins.